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THE GOSHEN RACES.

Wednesday's Contests the Best of the Week

HEATS WELL SPLIT IN TWO RACES

About 5,000 People Present—Much Money in the Pool Box and the Talent All Guessing—Close and Exciting Finishes in Many Heats

Fully 5,000 people attended the Goshen races Thursday and while there were no Geerses or Hatchers on exhibition some fine racing was seen and the finishes were much more exciting than on the previous day

The grand stand was well filled but not overcrowded as it was Wednesday and there was no crowd on the track to spoil the racing. The paddock was well filled with vehicles and the fence was lined with spectators

The crowd was of a speculative turn and the betting was as lively as on the day [illegible]. The heats were well split up and therefore the racing proved more exciting

The 2.14 pace had ten starters. Silver Maker and L S Bond being equal favorites with the speculators at odds of ten to five against the field. The race was hotly contested the gray gelding from Pennsylvania winning the first heat after a hard finish with March mont. L S Bond gave him a hot finish in the second heat but was not able to beat him out

L S Bond took the third heat in the fastest time of the day 2.12½ and it looked as if he would win the race easily for he took the fourth heat in 2.15½ and seemed to be as fresh as ever at the finish

All the horses showed the effects of the hard racing when they appeared for the fifth heat. Silver Maker jumped into the lead and was never headed winning the heat and race in the comparatively slow time of 2.16

The Gold Stake of $1,000, for the 2.20 class trotters brought out four starters

It took six heats to decide the race Meadow Bird was the choice before the first heat but Rival won it so handily and followed it up so well in the second heat that it seemed all over but the shouting. Meadow Bird who was second in each of the first two heats beat Rival out in the third and Baron H who had not been considered a dangerous contestant in the race also beat her out for the place.

[illegible] so strong in this [illegible] that he was made favorite for the next. The condition of his backers was not misplaced for he went out and won the next three heats and the race with [illegible]

Another favorite went to pieces in the 2.13 class trot. Pete Lavalard sold for $50 while the field brought $6 and $8 before the first heat

Woodford C was made first choice after winning the first heat and he won the second and third but Lavalard was very close on him in each heat and the race was a pretty one throughout

THURSDAY'S RACES

The attendance Thursday was estimated at 5,000 and the contests were the most interesting of the week. The summary follows

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[illegible]

TODAY'S EVENTS

The attendance to-day is about 4,000 In the 2.25 trot purse $400 the horses finished thus in first second and third heats Times Herald Sunbeam, Wildwood Justo Time 2.20½, 2.18½, 2.19½

In the [illegible] stake purse $1,000 2.16 trot Redwood was first in first heat in 2.17 with the other horses in this order Nanon Myrtle Boy Ivandorf Elsie S and Carrie Ivan Port and Elsie S were put back to fourth and fifth places for [illegible]

The second heat was made in 2.15, with the horses thus Redwood Nanon Myrtle Boy Ivandorf Carrie Elsie S

The third heat was made in 2.14½ with the horses thus Redwood Myrtle Boy Elsie S Carrie Nanon Ivandorf was drawn

Went Down With a Falling Bridge.

William F Taylor and his family and large number of guests and friends were on their way from Coleville to the Grange picnic at Decker town Tuesday and when crossing the big wooden bridge at Coopers Glen when it gave way and the wagon went down with it Although the wagon was badly smashed none of its occupants were seriously hurt

Big Business on the Goshen Line

The Traction Company did a big business Thursday between this city and Goshen on account of the races in the afternoon and the band concert in the evening. Six crowded carloads went down to the concert

Surveying for Centre Street Extension

City Engineer Harris to day made a survey and will prepare a map of the proposed extension of Centre street through the block to Main street, at Canal

Stopped a Runaway Horse.

S G Ogden's horse ran away on Wickham avenue, near North street to day at noon. The frightened animal was going at high speed when it was stopped by Bert Hardick the Argus office devil

'Tis worth a bag of gold This applies with special force to Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's Greatest Medicine

ERIE'S ANNUAL REPORT.

The Road's Statement Shows Gains, Although Earnings on Freight Were Decreased by Low Rates.

The annual report of the Board of Directors of the Erie Railway was issued to stockholders yesterday. A general increase in earnings and business is reported although freight traffic was not as remunerative during the present year as in 1898 largely owing to the low rates on through freight The earnings of the road were increased considerably by local passenger traffic

On the total mileage operated June 30, the end of the fiscal year, amounting to 2 271 63 miles, the following report is made

	1899	Increase
Gross earnings	$31 752 761 62	$ 11 543 76
Working expenses	23 169 926 28	*248 111 67
Net earnings	$ 8 582 777 61	$.79 355 43
Net earnings Erie Coal companies	298 479 0	88 694 12
	$ 8 881 256 67	$318 649 66
Income from other sources	9 097 01	66 514 15
	$ 8 140 53 70	$4-1 163 76
Deductions from income	8 488 55 44	104 282 40
Surplus	$ 665 798 26	$ 19 881 56

*Decrease

"WHY SMITH LEFT HOME."

Broadhurst's New Play to Open the Casino Regular Season.

Why Smith Left Home, George H Broadhurst's latest farcical success which will open the regular season of the Casino one week from to night is a companion piece to his "What Happened to Jones

It is described as being full of action and funny situations, very cleverly developed by a very good company There is not a long speech in the entire play The actors simply fire volleys of wit at each other and keep things moving all the three acts

The story turns on the domestic troubles of a gentleman bearing the distinguished patronymic of Smith who has been recently married and his troubles are caused by an influx of his wife's relatives during that period usually devoted to the honeymoon How he gets rid of them and why Smith left home would not appear as well in cold type as they do back of the footlights

If you love honest fun and hearty laughter it will pay you to find out these things for yourself

VANCE COMEDY COMPANY.

A Three Nights Engagement at Popular Prices.

The opening play of the three nights engagement of the Vance Comedy Co at the Casino next Monday, will be his famous railroad comedy drama The Limited Mail

The scenic and mechanical effects of the play are entirely new A new vestibuled train of cars comprising baggage, mail smoker and Pullman cars the entire length aggregating over 300 feet and twelve feet high has been built under the personal direction of Mr Vance and is said to be more striking and realistic than ever

The cast is exceptionally strong and is headed by the ever bright and vivacious little Beatrice whose artistic dancing and clever specialties are entirely new and up to date

Because She Didn't Want to Dance.

At the Grangers picnic at Deckertown William Flood asked a young woman named Cooper to dance with him She declined to do so and he grabbed her and dragged her on the dancing floor when she slapped his face Flood became very angry and tore her shirt waist down the shoulder struck her on the neck and threw her partly down when spectators interfered Flood was arrested and in default of $200 bail was sent to Newton jail

Midsummer Treat for Jail Prisoners

From the Newburgh Register

Turnkey William H Moore surprised the 22 boarders he has at the jail in this city at noon Thursday, by giving them what he was pleased to term a midsummer feast He provided in addition to the bread and other provisions for the day a dish of mashed potatoes two tomatoes a cucumber and four ears of boiled sweet corn for each person To some of the men it was a treat such as they have not had in a long time

Marshall Walthall's Body Here.

The remains of Marshall Walthall arrived in this city on the Wells Fargo Express last night They were taken to Rockafellow's undertaking establishment where a private funeral will be held at 2 o clock to morrow afternoon The burial will be in Hillside Cemetery, where a special service will be held

Night Blooming Cereus in Blossom.

Mrs I I Forbum, of No 7 Wallkill avenue has a night blooming cereus which blossomed, Thursday evening The flower was very large and beautiful and filled the house with its fragrance Several neighbors were invited in and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Not Guilty of Highway Robbery.

Henry William, Edward and Elmer Gunaer, who were charged with highway robbery by Edward Calcagney, of Rio in the town of Deerpark, were honorably discharged by Justice Shaw, of Port Jervis, nothing having been proved against them

A Round Up of Tramps.

Thirteen tramps were rounded up at Hancock a few days ago, on complaint of an Apex man, who charged them with robbery The tramps all swore that they were moral tramps, who wouldn't rob anyone, and there being no proof against them, were all discharged

ON THE GOLF LINKS.

—Tea will be served at Golf Club house Saturday afternoon, by Mrs Clark and Mrs Horton. The Greens Committee did not think it advisable to arrange a tournament this week, but will have one Labor Day It is certain, however that there will be many players on the links, Saturday afternoon, and friends of the members of the club who attend the tea will have a chance to see all kinds of playing—good bad and indifferent

Orange County Fair and Races, Sept 12-13-14-15, 1899

BURGLARS AT WORK.

Standard Oil Co.'s Safe Blown Open, Thursday Night.

SECOND TIME WITHIN A YEAR.

Burglars Got About $40, but Overlooked Nearly Twice as Much—How the Job Was Done—A Few Tools the Only Clue.

For the second time within a year, the safe in the office of the Standard Oil Company, on Sprague avenue, was blown open last night, and the contents of the cash drawer, about $40 stolen

When manager L C Purdy arrived at his office at 7 o'clock, this morning, he found it in great disorder. The inner portion of the safe door lay in the middle of the floor and books and papers were scattered about the room Everything in the room was covered with white dust from the filling of the safe, showing that the explosion had been a heavy one

The cash box was empty, and a brace, a monkey wrench, a long screw driver and a short chisel lay in front of the wrecked safe

Entrance to the office had been effected by forcing the front door which was an easy job and did no damage to either door or casing

The handle of the safe door was wrenched off and a charge of dynamite inserted in the hole It must have been a heavy charge for the outer facing of the door was torn loose from every rivet which held it to the inner part, and the latter was broken and shattered beyond all hope of repair

The iron cash box was unlocked so that the burglars had no further trouble in securing their booty but it may chagrin them to learn that they overlooked a sum more than twice as great as the amount they secured, which was under a small account book in a little drawer in the bottom part of the safe

The location of the Standard Oil Company's plant makes it an easy mark for safe-crackers The office is situated away back from the street and the Erie railroad tracks run close to the rear of the building The noise of a passing train would drown any sound made by the explosion of dynamite or powder so that it is not surprising that no one in the vicinity heard the report

Beyond the tools mentioned the burglars left no clue The monkey wrench is in good condition and the name D Robert is stamped in its jaws The brace is also a good one but the chisel and screwdriver are old The latter is a very long one and evidently 'home made

The police were at once notified and Officers Wilson and Tyrrel made an examination of the premises and took the tools to headquarters and will endeavor to find out who owns them

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Margaret Riley.

Mrs Margaret Riley died at 1.15 o'clock this afternoon, at the home of her daughter Mrs Alex Comtot 26½ Wisner avenue She had been in failing health for some time but death was hastened by a fall which she sustained about nine days ago and which resulted in a broken hip

The funeral arrangements have not yet been made

Thomas Healey.

Thomas Healey who died at his home on Prince street Thursday afternoon had been sick for two years with chronic meningitis and had been a great sufferer

He was a most industrious and hard working man and was for many years employed on the corporation and was a faithful and conscientious workman

His wife died seven years ago The following children survive Martin and May at home Francis and Annie, of New York John of California and Maggie, wife of Frederick Hine, of this city

Funeral notice elsewhere

TROLLEY EMPLOYES' PICNIC.

To Be Held at Midway Park, Wednesday, Sept. 6.

The annual picnic of the employes of the Traction Company will be held at Midway Park, Wednesday, Sept 6th

In former years the boys have tried to arrange games and athletic contests, but they have not proved successful, and nothing of the kind will be attempted this year In the afternoon a special vaudeville performance will be given, and in the evening there will be a concert by the 24th Band, the usual vaudeville entertainment and a grand cake walk, to be followed by a dance

The cake will be worth walking for for its central ornament will be a five dollar gold piece Entries for the walk may be made with Supt Gausman, at the company's office

The committee in charge of the picnic is S Gausman, C Shafer, J J Walker W M Gould, J McGrail

Second Presbyterian Sunday School Picnic.

The Sunday school of the Second Presbyterian Church will picnic at Midway Park, next Tuesday, Aug 29

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—The Lehigh and New England has a pay roll of about $1,000 a month at Deckertown

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MONEY IS SCARCE.

Lunacy Commission Notifies State Hospital Treasurers That Nothing But Wage Accounts Will Be Paid Until Oct. 1st.

The Lunacy Commission is hard up Through its secretary it has notified the treasurers of the State Hospitals that, "owing to a temporary stringency in the funds available for the payment of maintenance accounts, the Comptroller will be obliged to restrict payments on August accounts to wage rolls for that month"

This means that payment of the salaries of officers and of all accounts for merchandise will be postponed until Oct 1st

Treasurers are requested to make every effort to collect all outstanding accounts during the current month, as these receipts will be needed to make up the amount needed for payment of the wage rolls

The fiscal year of the hospitals closes Sept 30, and, by leaving salary and merchandise accounts unpaid until Oct 1st, it will be possible to appear to keep within the appropriation, but deferring payments until Oct 1st is a little hard on the medical staff and officers, and may cause serious inconvenience to dealers having contracts for supplying the hospitals

MAPES FAMILY PICNIC

Out of Town People Who Were Present—A Family Register.

Among those from out of town who were present at the Mapes family picnic in Columbia Park Thursday, were

Among those from out of town present were

Mrs John Stone, of Missouri, Launet Mapes of Michigan Misses Edna and Daisy Mapes, of Newburgh Miss Lizzie Mapes, W H Mapes, of New York Mr and Mrs Victor Ennis and daughter of Port Jervis Mr and Mrs Tuttle, of Bradford, Pa Mr and Mrs J Woodruff, of Florida

It was announced at the business meeting that a register book had been secured during the year in which it was asked that each and every Mapes, far and wide should inscribe their names

The officers of the association for last year were

Pres—N P Mapes
Vice Pres—S L Mapes
Sect and Treas—L I Mapes

HOBOS' CAMP RAIDED.

More Tramps Arrested by O. and W. Officers—Four of Them Sent to Jail.

O and W Officers Grant Wilson and John Skelt arrested Thursday night near Sands Station nine tough looking tramps who were in camp on O and W property

The men were locked up in Doloway's barn at the North End until this morning The arrests having been made outside the city limits Justice Shaw of the town of Wallkill, was summoned and the men were arraigned before him

Four of the toughest looking fellows in the lot, who seemed to be the proprietors of the camp were sent to Goshen jail for sixty days each The other five, who claimed merely to have been chance callers at the camp, were discharged and warned not to let themselves be again seen in the town of Wallkill

More Recruits at Russell House Station

The following additional recruits enlisted at the Russell House station have been sent to join their regiments George I Hunter, Middletown and Matthew Dineen Montgomery 36th U S Volunteers Nat D Hornbeck and Frederick Conner, Port Jervis 11th U S Cavalry The ultimate destination of the men is the Philippines

Roy Vaughn Getting Well.

Roy Vaughn one of the young boys who was struck by an Erie train several weeks ago and whose skull was badly fractured is now in a fair way to complete recovery He is able to sit up and is gaining strength with every day

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS P TIGHE, Commission Broker Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N Y Stocks, Bonds Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin

NEW YORK, Aug 25 99

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	155	152¾
Tobacco	128⅝	128¼
Chicago Gas	120⅝	119⅞
Nat Lead	32½	3-¼
General Electric	1-4	124½
U S L pref.	76¼	76⅝
Tenn Coal and Iron	94¾	95¼
A T & S F	23⅝	23⅝
C B & Q	136⅞	136¼
C M & St P	134¼	133⅜
R I	120¼	119½
D L & W	175	—
C of N J	119¼	119
Erie	14⅝	—
D and H	124¼	124½
O & W	28	27½
Federal Steel	59⅝	58⅛
P & R.	23⅝	23
Do, 1st pref	63	62⅜
N W	161⅞	163
Kansas and Texas	14	—
Do, Pref	41⅝	42¼
N Y. C	138¼	138⅞
M P	50¼	50⅝
Texas	21⅝	—
U P	47¼	47½
W Union	89⅜	88⅝
L & N	81⅞	81¼
Manhattan	113⅜	112
P M	47	47⅞
Wabash, pref	23⅜	23¾
No Pacific pref	78⅜	77⅛
Metropolitan Traction	205½	207⅞
Brooklyn Rapid Transit.	104	101
Southern, pref	54⅝	54⅞
CHICAGO MARKET		
Sept Wheat	71¼	71⅞
Sept Corn.	31⅞	32
Sept Oats	20¼	20¼
Sept Pork	$8 22	$8 10
Sept Lard	$5 22	$5 22

ORANGE COUNTY BREWERY

In order to stop all false rumor and talk, the friends and patrons of the Orange County Brewery and the public in general will kindly take notice that the undersigned is the sole owner of the brewery, and will personally conduct and manage all its affairs, and that the quality of a strictly pure beer will be upheld as heretofore.

Thanking all friends and customers for their patronage, good will and support, I beg for the same in future, so the brewery, with its excellent product, will remain a success Very respectfully,

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Orange County Fair and Races, Sept.12-13-14-15, 1899

Drowsiness is dispelled by BEECHAM'S PILLS.

D. L. & W. ENGINEERS

Chief Arthur in Conference With Grievance Committee.

SOME OF THE ENGINEERS' DEMANDS

Questions at Issue Relate to Number of Hours for Day's Time and Allowance for Switching Sidings and Runs to Mines.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

SCRANTON, Aug 25—Chief Arthur, of the Locomotive Engineers, reached here, to day, from Cincinnati His presence here is due to a hitch in the settlement of the grievances of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad engineers, whose conferences with General Superintendent Russell were broken, on Tuesday last

Eli Vail chairman of the Engineers' committee, explained to Chief Arthur the work already done by the committee and the points whereon there was a disagreement While much secrecy is maintained on the questions at issue, it is learned that the points yet to be disposed of have reference to the number of hours which shall constitute a day's work, time allowance for switching and sidings and runs to mines

There is also an intimation that the extended length of runs which compels many of the men to remain away from home over night, when heretofore they were able to return, will be brought into discussion It is not expected the committee will again meet General Supt Russell before next week

THE DREYFUS COURT MARTIAL

Du Paty de Clam Too Sick to Appear—Important Testimony.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

RENNES, Aug 25—At the Dreyfus court martial, to day, a medical certificate signed by doctors unknown here was read declaring that it was impossible for Col Du Paty de Clam to leave his bed and come to Rennes to testify

Labori asked that two well known medical men should be instructed to examine him, but Col Jouaust refused

Rowland Strong deposed to circumstances under which Esterhazy confessed to him that he wrote the bordereau. N Gobert, expert of the Bank of France testified that he believed that Esterhazy and not Dreyfus wrote the bordereau M Bertillon, the noted anthropometer, described at length the manner in which he had arrived at the conclusion that Dreyfus had written the bordereau

MANY DESERTED FARMS.

Fourteen of Them on One Road on Warwick Mountain.

From the Warwick Advertiser

A ride around through the Big Hollow road from Raynor's to Bellvale, will show some fourteen deserted farm places as we are told by an old resident, who was brought up on the mountain and is familiar with it all The ride is a romantic one now showing very few buildings on the whole route, but many old orchards and foundations of ruined homes remain to tell the story of how the sturdy sons of toil some fifty years ago lived and cultivated the wild rocky lands

FIGHTING IN SAN DOMINGO.

Revolutionists Got the Best of It—Are Gaining in Strength.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAPE HAYTIEN Aug 22—Severe fighting took place yesterday and to day in the neighborhood of Monte Christi Santo Domingo, between the government forces and the revolutionists It is said that the former lost heavily while the latter owing to the advantageous positions which they occupied, only suffered a slight loss

The revolutionists are reported to be continually receiving reinforcements

PRESIDENT AT LONG BRANCH

He and His Party Guests of Vice President Hobart.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONG BRANCH Aug 25—President McKinley and Mrs McKinley with Vice President and Mrs Hobart, Garret A Hobart Jr, Attorney General Griggs Dr and Mrs Rixey, Private Secretary Cortelyou and executive clerk Barnes arrived here this morning at 7 45 o clock from Plattsburgh They were driven to the residence of Vice President Hobart

Burned by Incendiaries.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 25—The grand stand at McClarys driving park was burned, early this morning. The fire was of incendiary origin

Has Ordered an Automobile.

L. Stern has ordered an automobile from the Winton Motor Carriage Co, of Cleveland, Ohio Several other Middletowners have been investigating the different styles of motor carriages, and it is only a question of time when several of them will be seen on our streets.

Will Welcome the Veterans.

Alderman at-Large Wm. C. P. Bastian will deliver the address of welcome at the reunion of the Orange Blossoms, at Columbia Park, Saturday, owing to Mayor Elwood's absence from town

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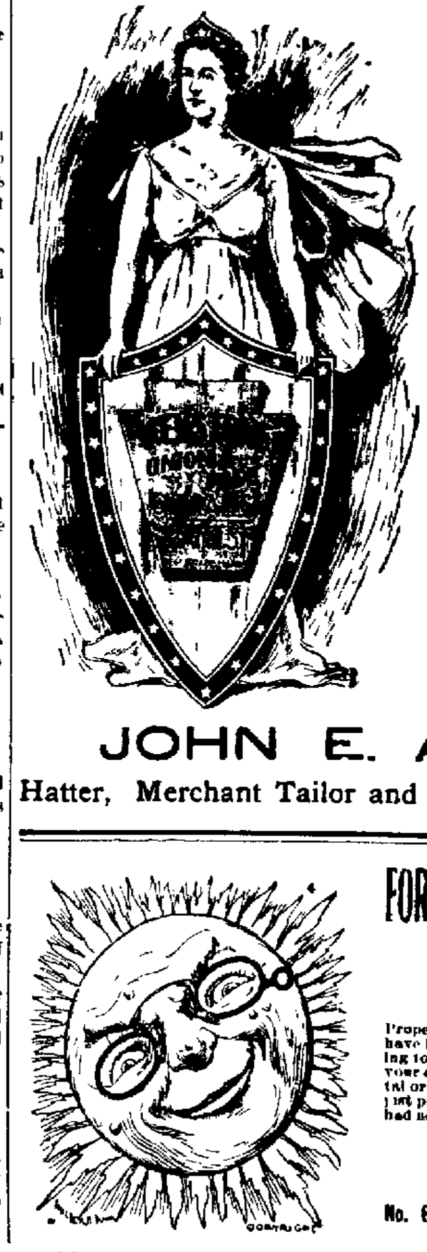
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Erie Railroad.

[James Street Station.]

WESTBOUND—

Daily—6:47 a. m., *10:56 a. m., *4:16 p. m., 9:34 p. m., 11:39 p. m.

Daily except Sunday—10 41 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 1:10 p. m., 3:49 p. m., 5:06 p. m., 6:49 p. m., 8:10 p. m. (goes no further), 9:21 p. m.

Sunday only—10:26 a. m., 3:11 p. m., 10:29 p. m.

Half Holiday (Sat.) 1:25 p. m.

EASTBOUND—

Daily—4:04 a. m., 6:01 a. m., 12.54 p. m., 5:55 p. m., 10:39 p. m.

Daily except Sunday—6:20 a. m., 7.09 a. m., 8:24 a. m., 10:41 a. m., 3.00 p. m., 4:06 p. m., 7:32 p. m.

Sunday only—8 23 a. m., 5:08 p. m., 7.00, 7:19 p. m.

* Stop only for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

N. Y., O. and W. R. R.

[Wickham Avenue Station.]

NORTHBOUND—*7.30 a. m., *8 45 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 12 m., 6 p. m., 6:15 p.m., *8.45 p. m.

Half Holiday (Sat.) 3:55 p. m.

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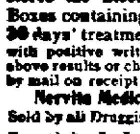
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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

FRIDAY, AUG 25, 1899.

It is asserted by well informed Nebraska politicians that at least 20,000 Republicans in that State will vote against Republican candidates, this year, as a protest against the administration's expansion policy. Nebraska has a large German population and before emigrating to this country they learned by experience what imperialism and militarism mean and they want nothing of the kind in this republic.

Jerseymen who held stock in a Newark saving and loan association are kicking vigorously at the way promises made by the association's agents have not been fulfilled. The expenses have exceeded the dividends and the withdrawal value of shares is considerably less than the amount paid in. The stockholders should count themselves lucky that their shares have any value at all. In this State investors in many of these so-called "national" loan associations have lost practically all their investments.

Quay is again in the saddle in Pennsylvania politics. The Republican convention which met in Harrisburg, Thursday, was absolutely under his control, and it passed with a hurrah the plank in the platform which commends Governor Stone for appointing Quay United States Senator, although a Republican legislature had refused to re-elect him. One plank in the platform is enough to make the most sorrowful or canal horses laugh. It is the one which pledges the Republican party to reduce the expenses of the State departments. Those expenses have grown to present figures under Republican rule. Republican officials are alone responsible for the fact that they have increased until they have become so oppressive that the people are growing restive. Whereupon the Republican party promises to reform the evils of its own making—and so hide-bound are the majority of Pennsylvanians in their loyalty to Republicanism that they will take Quay and his followers at their word and be buncoed as a consequence.

Ex-Judge Henry Hilton, the trusted adviser and confidential friend of the late A. T. Stewart, died at his summer home in Saratoga, Thursday afternoon. He was born in Newburgh in 1824 of Scotch-Irish parents. He studied law and began its practice in New York city and, though elected to a city judgeship, never attained to any great professional prominence. In some way, however, he made himself indespensable to Mr. Stewart, and at his death was left in charge of the estate. When Mrs. Stewart died he had it all. The story of the dissipation of a large part of the Stewart millions in unsuccessful ventures has scarcely a parallel in the history of business. Every venture in which Hilton or his sons engaged ended disastrously, and when the firm of Hilton, Hughes & Co. finally failed, its senior member, Judge Hilton's son, confessed in court that he owed his father $4,250,000. Judge Hilton paid the debts of the firm, but never again ventured in the business world, devoting himself to saving what was left of the estate. How much that amounts to no one knows, but whether much or little the fact remains that a great fortune never melted away more quickly than did the Stewart millions after they passed into Judge Hilton's keeping.

MT. SALEM.

Dr. Clark to Preach in Baptist Church—Other Notes.

Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.

—Dr. Clark, of the New Jersey Baptist Bible Society, will preach in the Baptist Church next Sunday, Aug. 27, morning and evening.

—Miss Hattie Norris and a lady friend from Staten Island are visiting at Charles Norris's, near Greenville.

—Miss Ada Rolosun and Miss Jessie Marthus, of Coleville, were calling on friends in this vicinity, Wednesday.

—J. H. Dunn and Floyd Myers attend ed the races at Goshen, Wednesday.

—This place was well represented at the Grange picnic at Deckertown, Tuesday.

WESTTOWN.

Peach and Cream Festival.

Correspondence ARGUS AND MERCURY.

—The usual Autumn peach and ice cream festival will be given on the lawn before the Presbyterian Church, on Monday evening, Aug. 28. If the evening prove cool, or otherwise unpleasant, the festival will be held in the Sunday school room. A large attendance is earnestly desired by the committee, especially as the last effort was hindered from reaching the usual results on account of unpleasant weather.

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UNIONVILLE.

A Budget of Varied and Interesting Notes of Local Interest.

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY

—Geo. Kimber and Anna Kimber spent last week visiting friends at Hainesville.

—Mrs. Isaac Petit is seriously ill with acute indigestion.

—Mrs. Matthews, of Deckertown, was in town, Wednesday.

—S. C. Hayne has gone to Antwerp to visit his brother-in-law, L. Whitaker.

—Among those who attended the races at Goshen from Unionville are Mrs. C. Davenport and son, Cora Ketchum, R. S. Tuthill, Ed. Beemer, Geo. Anthony, Geo Kimber, L. VanGorden, Daniel Sayer and sons, Benj. Hait and son.

—Some of our young people attended the harvest home festival at Greenville, last Thursday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clark, of Greater New York, are visiting friends in Deckertown.

—A team of horses belonging to Samuel VanFleet, which were being used to cart an old boiler that had been taken from the mill, broke loose and ran away, but reached home without accident or injuring themselves.

—Louis Elston, of Bogota, N. J., and Theo. Northup, of Paterson, spent Sunday at their homes in Unionville.

—Communion services will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning, Sept. 3.

—Rev. W. VanKirk, of Morristown, N. J., delivered two excellent sermons in the Unionville churches, last Sunday. His subject was "Temperance."

—The shower, Monday night, was more than welcome in this vicinity.

—S. C. Hayne has put a new cream separator in his creamery.

—Mrs. Shuit and Mrs. Horton, who have been the guests of Mrs. Ann Hayne, returned to their home in New York city, Thursday.

—The Unionville young people who attended the party given by Miss Grace Dubois, of Westtown, last Thursday evening, were delighted with the pleasant time they enjoyed.

—Miss Cole is ill with acute indigestion at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed. Beemer.

—The Jr. A. O. U. A. M.'s clambake, last Saturday, was undoubtedly a success. In spite of the heat and dust there was a large crowd present, and everything was in perfect order all day and everyone seemed to enjoy it. The members of the Council are delighted with the bake and are congratulating themselves on having secured Capt. Totten's services. The proceeds were over $300.

—A large number of Unionville people attended the Grange picnic, at Deckertown, and enjoyed it as usual. There was an immense crowd and everything to make the day a success.

—Ed Beemer is going to give up the milk business, and will sell at public auction Aug 30, at his home near Unionville, fifteen cows of the Holstein breed, all in excellent condition.

—George Anthony's child, at the clambake last Saturday, was playing near the merry-go-round when she fell and hit her head against the platform, receiving a bad cut over the right eye.

—Mr. Beakes and family, of Unionville, and Mr. Hornbeck and family, of Slate Hill, have returned from their summer outing at Lake Rutherford.

—Mrs. S. F. Hough, of Middletown, spent Thursday and Friday with her father, Henry Tuthill, at Unionville.

AMITY.

Successful Church Sociable—Personal and Local Notes.

Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY.

—The church sociable held at the home of Wm. J. Sly, last Friday evening, was a great success. The proceeds amounted to over $31.

—Harry Vail is engaged in the store at Pine Island with M. Space.

—A number in this vicinity are attending the races at Goshen, this week.

—W. Vankirk will occupy the pulpit in the church, Sunday morning.

—Mrs. Augusta Layton is visiting at David Post's.

—Mrs. Joseph Simpson and daughter, of Goshen, have been spending a few days at the home of S. P. Layton.

—Fred Wilson and family, who have been spending a few weeks with relatives here, started for their new home in England, Wednesday.

—Miss Roberta Craig is visiting in Middletown.

O. and W.'s Low Rates to Philadelphia.

On account of G. A. R. encampment the O. and W. will sell tickets to Philadelphia by either Pennsylvania or Royal Blue Line at half-rates, one fare for round trip. Tickets will be on sale Sept. 2 to 5, inclusive, and will be good till Sept. 12, but may be extended to Sept. 30 by depositing with joint agent in Philadelphia and paying fifty cents.

Dollar Excusion to New York.

Saturday, Aug. 26th., the Erie sell excursion tickets to New York and return at rate of $1 00. Tickets good going on special train leaving Middletown, James street 7 47 a. m., Main street 7:49. Returning leave Jersey City 8 p. m. dtd

FACTS AND FICTION.

Experiences of Middletown Citizens Are Easily Proven to Be Facts.—Outside Testimony Is Apt to Savor of Romance.

The most superficial investigation will prove that the following statement from a resident of Middletown is true. Read it and compare evidence from Middletown along with testimony from outside places, published side by side with this in the columns of this paper. Investigate still further, and you will be surprised at the number of people in Middletown who re-echo what this citizen says:—

Mrs. Melissa Johnson, of 15 James street, says:—"For four or five years I had kidney and urinary disorder, which weakened me so much that it was tiresome to move around, and long walks were impossible. If I caught cold or was exposed to any change in the weather I was always seized with a pain in the loins. I noticed an advertisement about Doan's Kidney Pills in a local newspaper, and I also heard them well spoken about. This induced me to procure a box from J. E. Mills's drug store. The helped me from the first. I was better in every way, and I was able to walk around as much as I liked."

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VERY EXCITING DAY.

Dreyfus Trial Marked by Sensational Incidents.

LABORI PRODS MERCIER FIERCELY.

The General Often Cornered—He Refuses to Answer and Is Upheld by President Jouaust—Roget's Effrontery.

RENNES, Aug. 25.—Yesterday's session of the Dreyfus court martial was marked by one of the most exciting scenes of the trial. The proceedings opened with a skirmish entirely favorable to the defense over Colonel Maurel, president of the court martial of 1894, who admitted reading one of the secret documents to the court which had not been seen by the defense. He protested that only one document was looked at, alleging that this sufficed to enable him to form a conviction that could not be shaken.

This protest made matters worse, because, as M. Labori pointed out, if he perused one it was his bounden duty to peruse all. Colonel Jouaust upheld Colonel Maurel in his refusal to indicate the nature of the document he read, but M. Labori announced that he would summon Captain Freystatter, another member of the tribunal of 1894, and get his version of what then passed behind the backs of the counsel for the defense. Colonel Maurel felt his position keenly and continually hesitated before replying to Labori's questions.

All this, however, was only preliminary to a fierce battle that ensued between M. Labori and General Mercier, the latter receiving re-enforcements from Generals Roget, Gonse and de Boisdeffre, as well as invaluable assistance from Colonel Jouaust himself.

M. Labori took General Mercier over the whole ground of his previous deposition. This led to several sharp passages at arms between the advocate and Colonel Jouaust, who upheld Mercier in refusing to reply to several questions which, in the general opinion of those in the courtroom, were distinctly pertinent.

Whenever General Mercier was cornered, he declined to answer, and Colonel Jouaust invariably supported him. M. Labori protested most energetically. His words and manner breathed the deepest indignation, but the president of the court martial was inflexible.

The intervention of Generals Gonse, Roget and de Boisdeffre and Major Lauth, who, in rapid succession, mounted the stage or rose in their seats and interposed remarks, was very exciting and carried the spectators along on a wave of breathless interest. One after the other these officers, who were in full uniform, would jump up and cry, "I demand to be heard," and, without further waiting, ascend the steps of the platform and begin a statement in support of a brother officer. Sometimes four officers were on the stage at the same moment. It was a marvelous display of military clannishness. At one time a perfect babel of voices reigned for several minutes, until Colonel Jouaust interfered and restored order.

M. Labori's cross examination was successful so far as it went, but Colonel Jouaust prevented him pressing his advantage to the utmost. In fact, Jouaust's hostile attitude toward the counsel for the defense then and during the cross examination of the witness, M. de Grandmaison, evoked the severest criticism on the part of the public present and bodes ill for Dreyfus. Not only Colonel Jouaust, but the other judges displayed considerable impatience during Labori's scathing cross examination, shifting restlessly in their seats and drumming the table with the tips of their fingers.

General Mercier faced Labori's fire with callous demeanor, standing on the platform, his hands behind his back and his face only half turned toward his questioner. Once or twice a savage look in the eyes, an elevation in the tone and a swaying to and fro of the body revealed the inner fires of resentment.

General Roget faced the court with an air of unblushing effrontery. His handsome but unsympathetic features expressed the bitterest scorn as he spun round on his heel and, with arms crossed, faced Labori, the audience or the judges. He is extremely vain and is always striking attitudes for the benefit of newspaper artists, quite a number of whom regularly attend the sessions. His impertinent behavior was strikingly illustrated when he interrupted M. Labori's examination of General Chamoin, which had resulted in Labori's scoring heavily against Mercier, with the exclamation, "This examination is a waste of time."

As a matter of fact, the examination of Chamoin showed Mercier in a very bad light, as it brought out that he had privately communicated to Chamoin, on the first day of the secret sessions, a report on the Panizzardi dispatch for insertion in the secret dossier. General Chamoin admitted that he did wrong in accepting the report, but pleaded ignorance in judicial matters. The report consisted of three pages, of which the second and third, Chamoin declared, contained fantastic and, in fact, false representations.

M. Labori brought General Mercier to the bar in reference to this. Mercier admitted that the reports emanated from Du Paty de Clam, but claimed that he himself did not understand its contents, though he thought it would be interesting and perhaps useful to Chamoin. This explanation was regarded as very lame, and, combined with other shady actions, would damn Mercier as a witness in the eyes of any impartial tribunal.

The correspondent saw Mme. Labori and conversed with her regarding her husband's condition. She said he was progressing rapidly, though still suffering considerable pain. "The way he is recovering," she exclaimed, "seems to me almost miraculous."

Loubet on France's Troubles.

RAMBOUILLET, France, Aug. 25.—Replying to an address of sympathy from the president and members of the district council, President Loubet expressed his gratitude at being able to appear at Rambouillet in spite of the cares of office to which the speaker had referred. These cares, he added, were real ones, and it was not without deep grief that he beheld a disturbance of public mind leading to street disorders. These should not be exaggerated, however, and the public should not lose heart. Continuing, President Loubet said: "I indeed am profoundly convinced that the troubles of the country are nearing the end. The measures adopted by the government bear witness to the fact that it is firmly resolved to defend the republic, preserve public peace and assure respect for the law. The whole country should bow to the verdict of the Rennes court martial, which can be relied upon for absolute impartiality, and the representatives of the people will co-operate in the work of reconciliation and pacification which is necessary for the highest interests of France."

General Staff May Sue For Mercy.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The Rennes correspondent of The Daily News says: "The more compromised members of the general staff are considering the policy of an appeal to mercy as a last resort."

The Bubonic Plague.

OPORTO, Portugal, Aug. 25.—Owing to the prevalence of the bubonic plague in Oporto, the prefect of police has issued an order closing the public schools. Dr. Heppenez is now on his way hither with 2,000 phials of antiplague serum. He is coming at the request of Princess Eugenie of Oldenburg, president of the Russian society for combating the plague.

Transport Kilpatrick Arrives.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The United States transport Kilpatrick, which has arrived from San Juan, brought 8 cabin and 29 other passengers. Among the former were Captain Osgood Smith, Lieutenants O. W. B. Farr, William Mitchell and W. B. Graham.

PRESIDENT AT LONG BRANCH.

His Last Day at Plattsburg Was a Very Busy One.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 25.—The presidential party left Bluff Point station at 6 o'clock last evening after a stay of exactly four weeks. The last day of President McKinley's stay here was a busy one. In the morning he was serenaded by the Twenty-sixth regiment band after he and Mrs. McKinley had taken a farewell drive around the grounds. At 2 p. m. the Palestine commandery, an organization of Masons, from St. Johnsbury, Vt., headed by Sherman's military band of Burlington, Vt., arrived at the hotel by special steamer to pay their respects to the president. At 3 o'clock the Twenty-sixth regiment, 1,350 men, arrived at the hotel, having marched down from Plattsburg barracks, a distance of three miles. President McKinley reviewed the regiment from the balcony. With him were Vice President Hobart, Attorney General Griggs, Secretary Hitchcock, General Merritt, General Guy V. Henry and others. The troops wore their new khaki uniforms and marched by the hotel in columns of platoons. The hotel piazzas and grounds were crowded, and the marching soldiers were much applauded. As the color sergeant dipped the regimental colors to the president there was great cheering. The regiment will leave for the Philippines in a few days, going to San Francisco via Boston and Providence.

The intention is to stay at Long Branch until Saturday afternoon, when the presidential party will start for Pittsburg, arriving there Saturday evening at about 9:30 o'clock. On Monday the president will be present at the reception to the Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers, who are to arrive in Pittsburg on that day from the Philippines.

On Tuesday, Aug. 29, the presidential party will proceed to East Liverpool, O., where one day will be spent as the guests of Colonel J. M. Taylor, a lifelong friend of President McKinley. Wednesday and Thursday will be spent at the president's old home in Canton, O., and on Saturday, Sept. 2, they expect to arrive in Washington. On Sept. 5 the president will go to Philadelphia to attend the annual encampment of the G. A. R.

The presidential party, as it left Bluff Point station, was made up of President and Mrs. McKinley, Vice President and Mrs. Hobart, Garret A. Hobart, Jr.; Attorney General Griggs, Dr. and Mrs. Rixey, Private Secretary Cortelyou, Executive Clerk B. F. Barnes and Charles H. Booth, president of the Hotel Champlain company.

PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICANS.

Nominations at the State Convention at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 25.—Republican state convention opened in Harrisburg Opera House and nominated Colonel James E. Barnett of the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment for state treasurer, J. Hay Brown of Lancaster for supreme court judge and Josiah R. Adams of Philadelphia for superior court judge. The nomination for supreme court judge is equivalent to an election by reason of two vacancies in the court, and no elector being entitled to vote for more than one person.

The platform indorses the administrations of President McKinley and Governor Stone, commends the executive for his appointment of Colonel Quay to the United States senate and pledges the party to a reduction in the expenditures of the departments of the state government.

A feature of the convention was the presence of Senator Quay as a delegate from Beaver county and the absence of Senator C. L. Magee of Pittsburg, who is convalescing from a severe illness. Mr. Magee has been chairman of the Allegheny delegation for many years. Senator David Martin was also missing from his accustomed place in the Philadelphia delegation. In his place as the leader of the Philadelphians was Insurance Commissioner Israel W. Durham. Senator Penrose and Congressman Bingham entered the convention hall together and were greeted with applause.

Adventurers Offer to Aid Jimenez.

HAVANA, Aug. 25.—It is reported here that General Juan Isidro Jimenez, the revolutionary aspirant to the presidency of Santo Domingo, who is now in Manzanillo, has received during the last three days more than 800 applications to join any expedition he may intend sending to Santo Domingo. The applicants include many Cuban officers who served under the late General Calixto Garcia. The wife and family of General Jimenez have left Havana for Barabano, where they took the Menendez boat for Santiago de Cuba, at which point General Jimenez will join them.

Trying to Succor Guerin.

PARIS, Aug. 25.—The police have repulsed a number of market women who were trying to supply provisions to M. Jules Guerin, the anti-Semite agitator, and his companions, who are now intrenched against the authorities at the headquarters of the anti-Semite league in the Rue de Chabrol. About 9 o'clock last evening a small demonstration in the Rue Lafayette in favor of M. Guerin led to scuffles, and several arrests were made. The police are continually dispersing loiterers in the vicinity of the Rue de Chabrol.

The Sherman Arrives.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—The transport Sherman has arrived from Manila with the First California volunteers and Batteries A and D of the California heavy artillery. Every pier and Telegraph hill, which commands a magnificent view of the Golden Gate and the harbor, were crowded with spectators anxious to catch a glimpse of the Sherman as she neared the harbor. From every quarter of the bay crowded yachts, launches, tugs and bay craft of all descriptions made their way through the water, converging to the one point, the Sherman.

Said His Penalty Was Just.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 25.—Julius Alexander, colored, was hanged here for assaulting a white woman last February. He showed no signs of nervousness, confessed the crime and said the penalty was a just one. A colored preacher in a talk on the scaffold said Alexander's crime was "one in which we are glad to see the law carried out."

All Positions Filled.

ALBANY, Aug. 25.—Adjutant General Andrews says that as Governor Roosevelt has recommended to the war department the names of officers to fill all the positions in the new volunteer regiments allotted to New York state applicants who are sending in their petitions for appointment are making efforts in vain.

Wants Redress From the State.

ALBANY, Aug. 25.—Walter Cooney of Glens Falls has filed against the state a claim for $5,000 for personal injuries received while working for the sate at the Glens Falls feeder.



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BIG WAR SUPPLIES.

British Concerned Over the Transvaal's Armament.

LASTING PEACE IS ENDANGERED.

A Local Paper Thinks That the Transvaal Government Would Back Down If It Could Do So With Dignity.

CAPE TOWN, Aug. 25.—The Delagoa bay incident, coupled with the recent transit of a large amount of ammunition, has directed the attention of the British officials to the immense accumulation of munitions of war in the South African republics, especially in the Transvaal.

The uitlanders, being debarred from carrying arms, the supply of weapons, as shown in Lourenco Marques (Delagoa bay) returns for three years, is greatly in excess of the burghers' requirements, and consequently there is a growing feeling among the British community in South Africa that no settlement of the existing crisis will insure lasting peace unless it includes a provision for the reduction of armaments.

The Barberton News claims to have information regarding the intention of France and Germany to interfere, with a view of participating in the proposed inquiry and that the Transvaal government entertained their demands regarding the dynamite contracts, hoping to make it an international question.

According to this authority, when the volksraad's commission reported against the cancellation of the contracts, the French and German consuls communicated with Paris and Berlin in order to ascertain if their governments would support the request of their subjects and would take steps to secure official representation on the commission of inquiry. No replies were vouchsafed, which was regarded as equivalent to refusal, and the hoped for countenance of the French and German governments is thus withheld.

The Transvaal government, it is asserted by the Barberton News, desires an opportunity to climb down without offending the amour propre of the burghers, but if no opportunity is afforded then war will not be shirked.

A dispatch from Bulawayo says that a Dutchman named Patrus Vilgoen was charged there yesterday before a local magistrate upon a warrant signed by the British high commissioner, Sir Alfred Milner, with inciting the natives of Bechuanaland to rebel against the British authorities. Vilgoen was remanded

Sending Munitions to South Africa.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—A special magazine has been constructed in the steamer Umvoti, which leaves the Thames today, for the conveyance of ammunition and stores to Natal. The consignment includes a million rounds of machine gun cartridges, a thousand saddletrees and a hundred tons of general military stores.

Great Britain May Compromise.

LONDON, Aug. 25. The Johannesburg correspondent of The Morning Post says: "The general impression, both here and in Pretoria, is that Great Britain is preparing to accept the proposed compromise."

Still More Volunteers.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Orders for the enlistment of more volunteer regiments will be issued soon by the war department. The quota of 35,000 enlisted men for the volunteer army authorized by congress has been nearly exhausted, and only four regiments can be obtained from the remainder, nearly 5,000 men. At least one of the new volunteer regiments will be composed of negroes. Black soldiers have given such good service that there is now no fear that they will prove unsatisfactory if placed under officers of the regular army. Whether the military authorities will organize more than two new regiments of volunteers cannot be ascertained, but it was said at the department that the question of whether it is advisable to enlist more than one negro regiment was under consideration.

Consul Bedloe Accused.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Dr. Edward Bedloe of Pennsylvania, United States consul at Canton, China, has been suspended from his consular duties and is now on his way home to answer serious charges. One of the allegations against Dr. Bedloe is that he granted an American register to a steamer engaged in carrying arms to the Philippine insurgents, and it is said that it has been represented to the state department that in taking this action the consul was aware of the suspicious character of the steamer. Involved in the case are other matters which, it is believed, will operate against the return of Dr. Bedloe to Canton in an official capacity, even if he is cleared of the charges in connection with granting the register to the filibuster.

Lightship Ashore.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Captain Perry of the life saving bureau has received information that the Diamond Shoals lightship at Cape Hatteras, which was torn from her moorings and drifted ashore during the recent hurricane, is high and dry on the coast near Creed's life saving station. The lighthouse tender Maple, dispatched to her relief, was unable to get her off, and Captain Perry is making arrangements with a wrecking company. He thinks she can be floated unless a southeast gale should sweep the coast.

Gunboat Marietta In Drydock.

BOSTON, Aug. 25.—The gunboat Marietta has been placed in the drydock at the Charlestown navy yard for her first docking since she was built two years ago. The boat's bottom is remarkably clean and will probably be scraped and repainted by the end of the week.

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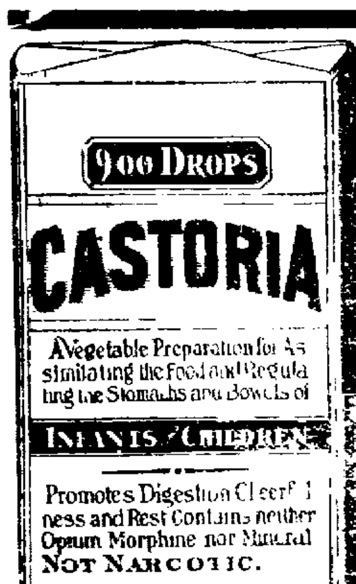
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No one who saw the crowd about the wheel of fortune at the Goshen races could doubt that the gambling instinct is strong in the average man. Many of those who crowded into the throng to try their luck against the wheel knew that they were doing a foolish thing; that the odds were frightfully against them and yet their faith in their luck was such that they were willing to try to beat him at their own game, and than this there is nothing in this world that is harder to do

I'm told by those who have taken the trouble to figure it out that if a wheel of fortune is run on the square the odds in its favor are twenty eight per cent. In other words that the men who run the wheel have over four chances of winning to your three. Those are pretty big odds, but men go up against them with a rush and the men who run the wheel make big money by their folly

A level headed man who watched the wheel at Goshen said to me that if the man who was tempted to back his luck against it had only looked on for a while he would have seen that he was throwing money away. Said the level headed man: Every bill that went on the board went into the satchel, which was bulging with money. All losses that the wheel made were paid in silver and yet the piles of silver on the board did not seem to grow less. The bills represented the rake off for the men who were running the wheel and those who saw how the satchel was filling up could not but realize how big the odds were in favor of the wheel and against the men who were backing it

An incident of Wednesday afternoon showed that the manipulators of the wheel are not altogether conscienceless or that at least they were not willing to take an unlucky player's last cent. A typical Rube, evidently a farm hand had been playing the wheel for some time and had of course been losing. At last a search of all his pockets brought forth six cents. He placed a nickel on the red and a cent on the black. The wheel was started and when the man at the counter saw the farm hand's bet he pushed the penny back toward him. The wheel stopped on the black and the nickel was raked into the pile and the man whose luck had been against him turned away the next thing to but not altogether penniless

Base ball seems to have lost its hold in popular favor in many of the league cities. The record for small attendance was broken Thursday at Cleveland where only eighty nine people paid to see the game between the home nine and the hopeful New Yorks. That's a worse showing than was ever made at a game in this city—and those who have tried to manage ball nines here think this a mighty poor base ball town

It is a pleasure to announce that the Standard Oil Company will not be seriously embarrassed by the loss of the $10 which the burglars who cracked the safe in the office here walked away with. Nor will it break the company to have a new safe or to pay the bill for repairing the wreck done. It's seldom that there is anything about burglary to commend but it the gentle burglar must burgle he is to be commended for going for a rich concern like the Standard Oil Company instead of for the hard to get dollars of a struggling business man

O and W. Niagara Falls and Toronto Excursion

Have you seen the excursion bills got ten out by the New York, Ontario and Western Railway Company covering their excursion to Niagara Falls and Toronto where the far famed Toronto Exposition will be in progress, in early September. The rate is one fare for the round trip and tickets will be sold and good going Sept 1st, 2nd or 3rd good to return leaving the Falls any time up to and including Sept 7th. If there is anything relating to this excursion that you would like to know communicate with the nearest O and W agent or address J C Anderson General Passenger Agent, 6 Beaver street New York

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On account national encampment Grand Army of the Republic the Erie will sell excursion tickets Middletown to Philadelphia Pa, and return at rate of $4 60. Tickets good going Sept 2d 3d, 4th and 5th. For return passage passengers must leave Philadelphia not later than Sept 12th, except by depositing ticket with joint agent at Philadelphia not later than Sept 9th and upon payment of fee of fifty cents it will be extended to Sept 30th 27d15t

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All Philippine Ports May Be Closed Up Next Fall.

SOME REASONS FOR AND AGAINST.

War Department Talking the Matter Over, and the Probabilities Are That It Will Be Done When the Campaign Opens.

WASHINGTON Aug 25—The establishment of a blockade of the ports of the Philippine Islands and especially of Luzon is a subject which is receiving attention at the war department, although Secretary Root has as yet not sufficient information to warrant definite action in the matter

The secretary says that he believes in taking advantage of everything necessary to make a campaign successful and that war cannot be made without causing distress. At the same time he thinks an absolute blockade may do more injury just now than good. He considers that it would be a serious hardship upon a peaceful community to shut them off from means of subsistence because a port which supplies them is in the hands of marauders

Another matter that has to be considered is the fact that the merchants and business men in Manila would be seriously crippled and it might cause a great deal of dissatisfaction should a rigid blockade be maintained at the present time

The probabilities are however that when the fall campaign begins there will be an effectual blockade maintained and that commerce between the towns within the American lines and the country in the control of the insurgents will be stopped. Meanwhile all possible precaution will be taken to prevent arms and ammunition from being supplied to the insurgents

EX-JUDGE HILTON DEAD.

He Expires at Saratoga After an Illness of Some Length

SARATOGA, Aug 25—Ex Judge Hilton died quite suddenly at 5 30 o'clock yesterday afternoon after an illness of more than a week. He really became ill about a year ago though the trouble was kept a secret by his family until last March. Then it was learned that on his return to New York in the preceding October he had taken to his bed and that he had grown steadily worse

After passing through several serious spells of illness he was brought to this city again this summer and it was hoped he would regain his strength. He was better for a time but began to fail again. His health became decidedly worse about a week ago and his family prepared for his death

His son Albert said in a legal proceeding in March that he owed $4 400 000 as a result of his business adventures after the death of A T Stewart

To Enforce Quarantine Rules.

WASHINGTON Aug 25—Owing to the conflict of authority between the state and national quarantine authorities at San Francisco Secretary Gage after consultation with Surgeon General Wyman telegraphed the collector of customs at that port to employ a sufficient force to enforce the federal quarantine regulations. The marine hospital service is laboring earnestly to keep infectious diseases out of the country and at San Francisco is directing its efforts especially against the bubonic plague the introduction of which is feared from the orient. The local quarantine authorities at San Francisco have it is stated disregarded the national quarantine regulations which the federal authorities believe it is absolutely necessary to enforce. The federal quarantine is supported by the Chamber of Commerce and other commercial bodies of San Francisco. Secretary Gage believes that the national authority in regard to quarantine matters is paramount and by his directions to the collector at San Francisco the federal regulations will be enforced against the local authorities

Chinese Excluded Months Ago

WASHINGTON Aug 25—It appears that General Otis' Chinese exclusion policy was put into operation some months ago although the Chinese officials were unaware of it and were proceeding on the theory that the question was still open for adjustment between the two governments. Acting Secretary Adee has addressed a letter to the Chinese minister explaining the status of the affair. The letter was forwarded to the Chinese minister who is now at Hot Springs Va. What further steps if any he will take have not been made known although the opinion prevails in official Chinese quarters that he will seek to have the exclusion modified even though it is a temporary military expedient. The war department officials will not discuss the matter but it is understood that the operation of this exclusion under General Otis has not been attended with any difficulties

Shocking Case of Cruelty.

TORRINGTON Conn Aug 25—Humane society agents have discovered what is believed to be a shocking case of cruelty to a child in Torrington. Mary Conran, aged 15 years was found lying helpless and emaciated in an upper room of the farmhouse of her parents Mr and Mrs Thomas Conran. The agents say that the girl's condition is undoubtedly due to lack of proper food and care and that proceedings will be taken against her parents. It is said that the girl is neither mentally nor physically strong and it is alleged that her inability to do her share of the farm work has led to her abuse and starvation by her parents

Good News For Soldiers' Families.

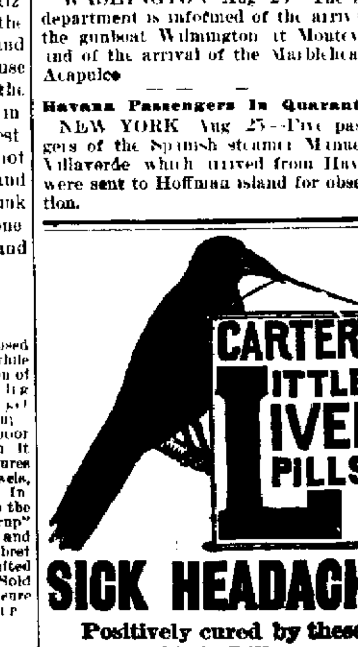
WASHINGTON Aug 25—Orders have been issued for carrying out the provisions of the law allowing a soldier serving on distant duty to have part of his pay allotted to his family. Payments to the families of soldiers will be made by direction of the paymaster general

Movements of Warships

WASHINGTON Aug 25—The navy department is informed of the arrival of the gunboat Wilmington at Montevideo and of the arrival of the Marblehead at Acapulco

Havana Passengers In Quarantine.

NEW YORK Aug 25—Five passengers of the Spanish steamer Manuel L Villaverde which arrived from Havana were sent to Hoffman island for observation.



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YANKEE YACHT WINS.

Genesee Outsailed Beaver Three Straight Races.

TORONTO Aug 25—The Canada cup goes to Chicago. Such was the result of the third race for the trophy between Beaver and Genesee, the latter winning by 10 minutes and 47 seconds

The wind at the start was about south east. It was light, blowing about six miles per hour and continued much the same throughout the race, although about 1 o'clock it looked as if the race would not be finished within the time limit, 5½ hours. The breeze which had died down at this time, freshened up again, however and the finish was in plenty of time. The race was a victory for the American boat from the very start and Skipper Jarvis of the Beaver the Canadian defender admitted after the race that Genesee was the better boat in the light breeze that had prevailed throughout the contests

There were prospects of the wind freshing just before the start, but as it was quite steady at 10 o'clock the first gun was fired at 10 45. This was the earliest start made during the races. The white Pathfinder was again the judges' boat. She fired a warning gun at 11 05 a m and sent the racers over the line at 11 15. The two yachts went over on the starboard tack but came about almost immediately and Genesee, although to leeward commenced to draw ahead. In half an hour she had gained sufficiently to cross her opponent's bow and take up a leading position. Once this was gained she was never headed

Genesee's marvelous windward qualities in a light breeze were again in evidence in the beat of seven miles. The course was a triangular one 21 miles around like the course on Tuesday. The first seven miles was a beat to windward the next leg a broad reach and the third leg a close reach back. It was in the windward work that Beaver, the much vaunted wind jammer lost most heavily. Her working jib was taken off and another big reaching jib was substituted but it was no use and Genesee rounded the buoy with a lead of over ten minutes

Beaver struck a weak spot in the very light breeze and was much slower in getting around the buoy

BASEBALL SCORES.

Results of Yesterday's Games in the National League

At Pittsburg—

Pittsburg 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1
Boston 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—3

Hits Pittsburg 10 Boston 11 Errors—Pittsburg [illegible] Boston 1 Batteries—Chesbro and Schriver M[illegible]kin and Bergen

At Louisville—

Louisville [illegible] 0 0 0 2—4
Baltimore 0 0 [illegible] 2 0 0 0 2—4

Hits—Louisville [illegible] Baltimore 10 Errors Louisville [illegible] Baltimore 3 Batteries Dowling [illegible] Zimmer Nops and Robinson

At Cleveland—

Cleveland 0 0 0 0 0 0—
New York 1 0 1 3 1 0 0 0—6

Hits—Cleveland [illegible] New York 11 Errors—[illegible] New York [illegible] Batteries Bates [illegible] and McAllister Carrick and Wil[illegible]

At St Louis

St Louis 0 2 0 0 0 1 [illegible]
Philadelphia 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 [illegible]

Hits St Louis 11 Philadelphia 8 Errors St Louis [illegible] Philadelphia 5 Batteries Young [illegible] Fraser and Douglas

At Chicago—

Chicago 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—3
Brooklyn 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 [illegible]—3

Hits [illegible] Errors—Chicago [illegible] Brooklyn [illegible] Batteries—Griffith and [illegible] Kennedy and Farrell

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CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

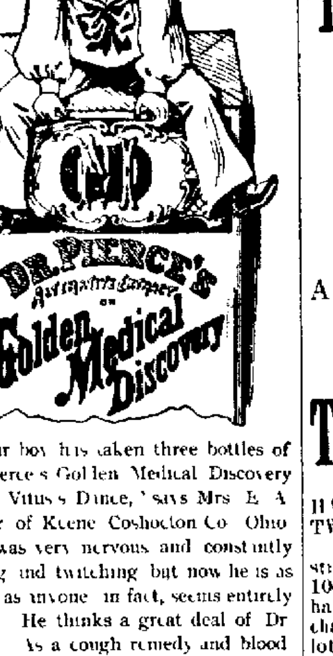
A dynamite bomb was thrown into the villa of the archbishop of Gallipoli Italy

The two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of Southampton N Y by the Puritans was celebrated yesterday

A New York syndicate has offered to purchase all the print cloth and cotton [illegible] mills of Fall River Conn at a figure exceeding $20 000 000

The war department has chartered the steamship George W Elder at San Francisco. She has a capacity of 600 men and is ready to sail for Manila as soon as loaded

K Treskins and his wife of New Milford Conn were shot and killed by the man's brother at Treskins' bakery. The murderer was pursued but killed himself with a bullet



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WEST BOUND.

Eastern Time	17	21	1	9	11	33	5	27	15	25	29	7	3	601	625	617
Leave	A M	A M	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	A M	P M	P M
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N Y Chambers St	4 00	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	30
Jersey City	4 15	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	48
Paterson	4 46	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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EAST BOUND.

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Eastern Time	A M	A M	A M	A M	A M	A M	P M	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	P M	P M
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* Daily. † Stop on signal. ‡ Sundays only. + Except Sunday. b Stop for passengers to Binghamton and beyond

MIDDLETOWN AND CRAWFORD BRANCH—Leave Main St. Middletown for Pine Bush at 11 40 a m daily and 6 05 p m daily

MONTGOMERY BRANCH—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at [illegible] a m daily [illegible] 11 20 a m daily 4 54 p m daily except Sunday and Holidays 6 31 p m Holidays

PINE ISLAND BRANCH—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11 20 a m and [illegible] p m daily except Sunday

NEWBURGH VIA TURNERS—Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7 38 a m daily except Sundays and Holidays [illegible] p m daily 9 00 p m daily 9 45 p m Sundays and Holidays only

NEWBURGH VIA GREYCOURT—Leave Greycourt for Newburgh at 7 4[illegible] a m daily except Sundays and Holidays [illegible] a m daily 1 23 p m daily except Sundays and Holidays 6 20 p m daily except Sundays 7 5[illegible] a m Sundays only

NOTE—Half Holiday train will leave Chambers St. 2 10 p m Saturdays, arriving at Middletown 4 30 p m.

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Time Table in Effect June 25th, 1899.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS	11	1 On't Day Exp	3 M'l'n Exp	17 Half Holiday Sat. Only	[illegible]	[illegible]	15 Ulster Co. Exp	9 Chicago Line
N. Y. Leave	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M
Franklin St	3 15	7 40	9 00	12 40	3 00	5 00	5 00	6 45
W 42d St	3 30	7 [illegible]	9 15	1 00	3 15	5 15	5 15	6 15
Weehawken	4 00	8 10	9 30	1 [illegible]	3 30	5 30	5 30	6 30
Cornwall	5 10	9 40	10 07	2 40	5 00	6 07	6 07	7 50
Firthcliffe	[illegible]	9 50	...	...	...	...	6 20	...
Orr's Mills	[illegible]	9 55	...				6 [illegible]	...
Little Britain	6 40	f10 01	...				6 35	
Burnside	6 50	f10 10					6 45	
Campbell Hall	7 07	10 30	11 [illegible]	3 [illegible]	5 [illegible]		6 45	8 15
Stony Ford	7 15	f10 37	n11 30				6 50	
M'town Main St.		10 48		...	...		6 00	
M'town ar	7 40	10 45	11 50	3 [illegible]	6 [illegible]		6 07	8 [illegible]
M'town lv	8 05	11 05	11 55	[illegible]	[illegible]		6 15	8 45
Winterton	9 10	f11 09	n12 15				6 [illegible]	.....
Bloom'g'b'gt	9 21	11 15	12 29	4 [illegible]			6 37	.....
Wurtsboro	9 26	11 19	f12 26	[illegible]			6 41	.....
Summitville	9 38	11 30	12 35	4 51	6 [illegible]		6 46	.....
Fallsburgh	10 58	12 05	1 10	5 06	7 00		.....	.....
Hurleyville	10 58	12 18	1 16	5 12	7 07		.....	.....
Ferndale	11 15	n12 [illegible]	1 [illegible]	5 [illegible]	7 16			
Liberty	11 30	12 29	1 [illegible]	5 40	7 [illegible]			8 [illegible]
Parksville	11 45	12 40	P M	5 50	7 37			
L'v'gst'n M'r	12 00	12 [illegible]	12	6 05	7 46			[illegible] 15
Rockland	12 15	1 08	Loc'l	6 20	8 00			[illegible]
Cadosia	1 [illegible]	2 00	A M	P M	P M			[illegible]
Walton	2 10	3 45	6 00	...	......			11 [illegible]
Maywood		3 14	6 [illegible]					
Sidney	...	3 40	6 [illegible]	...	.....		41	12 15
N'rwich ar		4 [illegible]	6 50	...	.....		A M	12 30
N'rwich lv		4 30	6 54		.....		7 00	1 [illegible]
Castle		5 58	A M		.....		9 10	[illegible]
Oneida ar		5 57			.....		9 15	2 [illegible]
Oneida lv		6 10			.....		9 20	2 [illegible]
Fulton		7 30			.....		[illegible]	[illegible]
Oswego ar		8 00			.....		11 [illegible]	3 [illegible]
	P M	P M					A M	A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS	6 New Y'rk Exp	12 Milk	50 Local	14 Delhi Ex	2 N Y Day Exp	42 Norwich Exp	16 Sunday Exp
	A M	P M	A M		A M	P M	P M
Oswego lv	11 20		7 40		8 45	2 55	....
Oneida ar	12 [illegible]		1 [illegible]		8 48	5 16	
Oneida lv	12 [illegible]		1 50		8 60	5 25	
Castle			1 56	P M	9 [illegible]	6 27	
Norwich ar	2 09		4 00	6 45	10 27	7 15	
Norwich lv	2 14		P M	6 48	10 40	P M	
Sidney	3 05			7 40	11 40		
Maywood				7 56	11 57		
Walton	3 50	12 15		8 30	12 27		
Cadosia	4 21	1 30	4	P M	1 30	A M	
Rockland		2 [illegible]	M't'n		2 [illegible]	6 20	6 [illegible]
L'v'gst'n M'r	5 07	3 00	Exp	...	2 [illegible]	6 30	[illegible]
Parksville		3 16	P M		2 27	6 47	[illegible]
Liberty	5 [illegible]	3 [illegible]	5 10	16	2 51	7 00	5 45
Ferndale		3 41	5 34	Ulster	[illegible]	7 04	5 50
Hurleyville		4 04	5 44	Co	3 04	7 14	6 00
Fallsburgh		4 10	5 52	Exp	3 11	[illegible]	6 07
Centreville		4 40	[illegible] 00	A M	[illegible] 20	7 [illegible]	[illegible] 14
Mountain D		4 50	[illegible] 08		[illegible]	7 34	[illegible]
Summitville	6 06	5 10	5 34	7 21	3 43	7 48	6 [illegible]
Wurtsboro		5 20		7 [illegible]	3 52		[illegible] 47
Bloom'g bgh		5 [illegible]	5 37	7 [illegible]	3 57		6 50
Winterton		5 34		[illegible]	4 02		[illegible] 56
M'town ar	6 27	5 55	6 [illegible]	7 55	4 15	8 15	7 12
M'town lv	6 43	6 20	[illegible]	8 07	4 20	[illegible]	[illegible]
M'town Main St.				8 07	4 32		
Stony Ford		6 58		[illegible] 20	4 46		[illegible] 41
Campbell H.		7 15	4 24	8 [illegible]	4 52	8 48	7 47
Burnside		7 24		[illegible] 41	4 57		[illegible]
Little Britain		7 [illegible]		[illegible] 41	5 05		[illegible]
Orr's Mills		8 05		[illegible] 48	5 15		[illegible] 10
Firthcliffe		8 06		[illegible] 50	5 20		[illegible] 16
Cornwall	7 28	8 15	4 52	8 57	5 [illegible]	9 08	8 24
Weehawken	8 43	10 30	6 15	10 30	7 04	10 30	9 50
New York W 42d St.,	8 55	11 00	6 35	10 [illegible]	7 10	10 40	10 00
N. Y. Fkln St. ar	9 15	11 07	6 50	10 [illegible]	7 25	10 50	10 10
	P M	P M	P M	A M	P M	A M	P M

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday

f Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers

n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only

¶ Stop for meals.

Trains leave Cadosia 6 10 a. m. 2 05 p. m. Sunday only 4 30 p m for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 10 [illegible] a. m. 4 15 p m. Sunday only 8 30 a. m. for Cadosia.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 40 11 30, a. m., and 12 35, 3 45, 6 28, 6 47 p. m. 4 45 p m Saturday only. 6 47 p m Sunday only

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 7 00 7 40 10 50 a. m., and 12 01 3 00 and 5 40 p. m. 4 05 p m Saturday only. 6 15 p m Sunday only

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 00 a. m. and 4 4[illegible] p m. Except Saturday 1 30 p m Sunday only 3 10 p m

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 6 10 a. m., 2 45 and 5 35 p m. Sunday only 9 15 a. m., and 2 15 p m. Except Saturday 12 27 p m.

Additional trains leave Livingston Manor at 1.35 p. m., stopping at all stations to Walton, arriving at 3 20 p. m. Leave Walton at 12 45 p. m. arrive at Norwich 5 30 p. m.

Leave Walton 7 00 a m, stopping at all stations to Livingston Manor, arriving at 12.35 p. m. Leave Norwich 6 55 a m all stations to Walton, arriving at 11 15 a m

Trains leave Sidney for New Berlin 10.40 a. m., 8 30 and 7 40 p. m. Leave New Berlin for Sidney 7 40 and 11 05 a. m., and 5 10 p. m.

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HOUSEHOLD LINENS. You can't be too conscientious about the quality of your linen half the beauty of the household depends on it. We share the responsibility and would not shirk it. Therefore, we assert emphatically, the superiority of our linens in elegance, style, variety, and, chiefly, quality—Attributes worth paying for, doubly desirable at these smallest prices

There's a large assortment of table linen, in choice designs, that is now selling at 50, 59 and 65c a yard.

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And beautiful Table Cloths, with Napkins to match, at $1 50, $2 50 and up to $10. Just the thing for a wedding present

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- Pins 1c a paper.
- Best Pins 4c a paper
- Good Safety Pins 3c a paper
- Hat Pins 3 for 1c.
- Fancy Hat Pins 5 and 10c.
- Corset Clasps 5c., best 9c.

Linen Corset Laces, 4 yards long, 2c each

- Kid Hair Curlers 5c
- Herringbone Trimmings 5c a bunch
- 5 yard pieces Velveteen Dress Facing 12c
- Cotton Tape in rolls, 2c,
- Best finish Skirt Binding 6c a yard
- Silk Garter Elastic 10c a yard,
- Household Ammonia 5c, large size 10c
- Toilet Paper, 1,000 sheets, rolls or packages, 5c
- Beauty Pins 1c.
- New Shirt Waist Sets 10 and 25c
- Link Cuff Buttons 10 and 25c
- Aluminum Thimbles 1c
- Box of Assorted Black Pins 2c
- Dozen Curved Dress Stays 5c, best 8c
- 60 inch Tape Measures 5c.

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J. W. TOMPKINS

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You will do well to give us a call and examine our goods before buying elsewhere We guarantee satisfaction and all goods absolutely pure Mail Orders Promptly Filled

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J. J. HALLAHAN, **Manager.**

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Aug 26—Excursion to New York via Erie Railroad
—Aug 26—Orange Blossoms reunion at Columbia Park
—Aug 28 29 30—Vance Comedy Co at Casino
—Aug 2[illegible] Sept 1—Sullivan County fair
—Sept 1 2 3—Excursion to Niagara Falls via O and W Railroad
—Sept 4—Sixth York Fest at Maennerchor Park
—Sept [illegible]—Concert at Presbyterian Church
—Sept 7—Fair at Old Ladies Home
—Sept 8—Excursion to Coney Island via O and W Railroad
—Oct 1—Lunch room at No [illegible] East Main street by Ladies Aid Society of Baptist Church
—Sept 1[illegible]—Orange County Fair
—Oct 1[illegible]—Grand Fire Parade
—Nov 20 [illegible]—I[illegible] fair

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—August sale of blankets at Tompkins
—Fine liquors at 31 West Main street
—New canned peas at Mapes Bros
—Knicker[illegible] at Crosby s
—Fine peaches at C N Predmore & Sons
—Cows for sale by S Givans
—New styles of combs at Crosby s
—[illegible]
—[illegible]
—[illegible] faithful assistant

WEATHER INDICATIONS

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON August 25—Showers and probably thunderstorms to night Saturday fair winds mostly fresh easterly

THE TEMPERATURE

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frork s drug store to day
7 a m **70°** 1 p m **79** 3 p m **86**

FRIDAY, AUG 25, 1899

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Ontarios will drill, to night at the truck house

—Regular meeting Gen Lyon W R C, No 180 Saturday night

—The I C Hornbeck mill property at Napanoch is being fitted up as a pulp mill

—Ex Mayor Stansbury is improving his place on East Main street by having stone steps placed in the terrace.

—Try our delicious brick cream 30 cents per quart only Delivered free by Laskaris 31 North street. dti

—Jacob Gunther s fine English [illegible] hound is missing The dog answers to the name of Prince and its license number is 115

—Regular classes at 'Sunshine' Ursuline Academy will be resumed Sept 7 Vocal culture Italian method will be taught at professional rates

—If you intend to be a business man get a business education at the Ramsdell School of Business and Shorthand 25 North street Middletown
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—The abandoned towpath of the D and H canal is becoming very popular with bicyclists Parties from Minnesota Illinois Maryland and Philadelphia passed over it to Honesdale a few days ago

—Women s Shoes—Fine kid stock patent leather tip flexible sole button or lace shoes at $1 50 per pair Positively the best shoes sold at the price
EDMOND & VANSICKLE
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—It has been suggested to the *Press* that it would be a good thing for our board of trade to bid in the Middletown trolley railroad at the coming sale and bring it over here where we are so much in need of one —*Ellenville Press*

PERSONAL

—Mrs Anna Noble went to Buffalo Thursday to visit friends

—Mrs R J Prang of New York is visiting Mrs Theo Reinecke Jr

—S S Cook returned last night from a week s visit at Ocean Grove

—Misses Sadie and Florence Slater are visiting Miss May Horton at Bay Shore

—The *Courier* notes that Mrs Irene Edwards of this city is visiting relatives in Deposit

—Mr and Mrs Wilbur VanFleet and daughter are taking a few days vacation at Fish s Eddy

—Miss Della Cahill and her friend Miss Finn of Wurtsboro, are visiting Miss Gavin of this city

—Miss Kate Brady and Miss Rose Strepp of Elizabeth, N J, are guests of Miss Agnes Remeck

—C J Smith and family of Middletown, who have been visiting A J Bennett have returned home —*Roscoe Review*

—Harry Lutter who was operated on for appendicitis at Thrall Hospital Wednesday is reported as doing fairly well to day

—Charles H Booth assistant foreman in the composing room of the Louisville Ky *Courier Journal* is visiting his cousin John M Wilson

—Miss Margaret Ford of Middletown N Y spent the past week with her sister Mrs E W Rutan of this town —*Dr ketown Independent*

—Mrs W T Groo and children and Mrs John F Wiggins and daughter went to Suffern this morning and will drive from there to Tuxedo

—Mayor Elwood will go to Hancock Junction, this evening where he will spend Sunday with Mrs Elwood, who has been visiting friends in Delaware county for several weeks

—Miss Mary Couch is spending the week at Middletown the guest of Mrs Wm Pulver * * * Mrs John Smith of Middletown is visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs L A Whitaker —*Hancock Herald*

—Rev David Winters pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Middletown is stopping with his family at Webster Sherwood s Mr Winters will preach in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday evening next —*Livingston Manor Ensign*

—Mrs Wm Dunning of Middletown, is visiting at Dr Smith s * Miss Josie Simonson of Middletown is visiting at Mr Weisenger s having returned with his daughter Miss Mamie, from Middletown * * * Miss Carrie B Evans has been home from Middletown on a visit She and her mother Mrs John Evans spent last week with friends at Monticello She returns to Middletown Monday —*Ellenville Journal*

Will Start a Stock Farm in Sussex County.

Mrs Mary Young has sold her fine farm near Newton known as the Silas Young place to Robert H McL Potter, of Chicago who will run it as a stock farm He has been running a similar farm in Kentucky but his business interests being in the east he will bring his horses to the Sussex county farm The property was sold at a good price

A Very Familiar Background

Billy Allison Davis received Thursday, a photograph of Eddie Cattlaz who is with the 6th Artillery at Honolulu The background of the picture is familiar to all the Company I boys the photograph having been taken at the Kapiolani Park race track where they were first encamped

COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

Recent Events and Happenings in Goshen.

THOUSANDS AT THE BAND CONCERT.

Suspected Pickpockets Chased Out of Town Jealous Woman on the Grand Stand—Arden Farms Horses Going, to Hartford—Other Notes

From Our Regular Correspondent

—The band concert, Thursday night, was attended by more people than ever congregated here at Goshen on a similar occasion The programme was a grand one, and included a duet on the piccolo by Mr Forschner and R a Hollenbeck, also solos by those performers and a cornet solo by Harry L Smith, of Warwick President Hock and Secretary Moore of the Driving Park Association, brought down several hundred chairs from the grand stand and thereby increased the seating accommodations and added to the comfort of the people present

—Three men arrested as pickpockets, Wednesday, were let loose and chased out of town Thursday

—At the races Thursday a woman in the grand stand caught her husband talking with another woman She didn t approve of the idea and rising to her feet declared herself She spoke very forcibly and it furnished a pleasant diversion between the heats

—Prof Stiles is spending a few days in Goshen

The Arden Farms stable of horses goes to Hartford next week, in charge of Driver William J Andrews

—The Epworth League will hold a sociable next Tuesday evening Aug 29 Refreshments will be served and an instrumental musical entertainment given Joseph Ackerman the blind pianist will render several selections

—James Foster found a small sum of money Wednesday which awaits an owner

—The Newberry Laundry is closed to day in order that its employes may see the races

—Next Thursday evening the 31st inst the Goshen Band will give its last concert for the season

THE SHAMROCK TWISTED

Some of Her Port Midship Plates Strained

NEW YORK Aug 25—From Dunraven once said that the Erie basin could not keep a secret and that it leaked at every point David Barr and Dr Mackay representatives of Sir Thomas Lipton and of the company They realized last night that the mystery and secrecy which [illegible] the launching and sailing of the Shamrock on the other side could not be maintained in American waters although they tried hard all day to deny the flying rumors and the various stories which were current yesterday in the basin about the English cup challenger having [illegible] been strained [illegible] well [illegible] the Atlantic in calm weather Their denials were fruitless and last night the Shamrock was turned in temporarily workers and men whose pinions and vichings knowledge are respected [illegible] esteemed declared positively that the Shamrock was twisted in the midship section and that towing had caused a strain which had worked her plates

One yachting expert who has built yachts and has looked hundreds of ships told a reporter that in the afternoon he was surprised and astonished while looking at the English challenger to see that she was fully twisted in the midship section

The way is quite apparent he continued to any one who knows anything [illegible] I am informed that [illegible] twist yesterday [illegible] [illegible] Shamrock [illegible] day Naturally towing set the straining and made the plates leaky and on that account I believe the theory of a leak is quite probable If the yacht was towed over on the port tack the tendency would be to strain the hull to starboard and such a strain would undoubtedly cause the plates on the port quarter to draw

Columbia s Steel Mast In Place

BRISTOL R I Aug 25—Columbia s steel mast was stepped successfully yesterday afternoon All the rigging was attached the spreaders were in place and the pine topmast was inside the mast head The work of setting up the rigging was begun as soon as the mast was in place The Defender and her tender have gone to Newport

NEWS FROM HAVANA.

General Brooke Decides to Make No More Payments to Cuban Troops.

HAVANA Aug 25—Governor General Brooke has virtually decided not to make any payments to Cuban troops on the basis of additional rolls The first payments brought to light such an amount of thievery and attempted swindling that he has ceased to consider the question of distributing what is left of the $3 000 000 in supplementary payments The sum now left in his hands he will probably use to assist wounded and deserving officers, who, under the original arrangement, were to receive nothing

Most of the Cuban officials agree with a remark recently made by General Gomez He said that the $3 000 000 would prove more harmful than helpful and the work of payment has revealed depths of depravity that the best friends of Cuba had not conceived could exist

The strike of masons and bricklayers seems to be gaining strength All repairs that were in progress on the palace the custom house the telegraph offices and other public buildings are at a standstill The strikers count upon the support of the local labor organizations There are some 200 men still working but they have been told that they will regret their course later

The period of 30 days that was given to unemployed persons to find work has now elapsed and hereafter all street idlers will be arrested and sent to Vivac the Tombs of Havana whence they will probably be sent to the Isle of Pines to work in the marble quarries there Seventy two idlers have already been taken into custody

The Agricultural bank recently established as the result of a suggestion of Senor Gomez civil governor of Santa Clara is being heartily indorsed by the municipalities of that province Forty per cent of the capital of the bank is secured by mortgages the value of which is based upon the present low prices The remaining 60 per cent is guaranteed by the municipalities themselves

HOOD'S PILLS

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STATE OF NEW YORK
Office of the Secretary of State
Albany, July 27 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety six, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article three of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE
Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to article three section twenty-six of the constitution, relating to boards of supervisors and devolving the duties thereof upon the municipal assembly or other legislative body of a city in counties wholly included in a city or where two or more entire counties are included in a city

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety-seven duly adopted a resolution providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to boards of supervisors and devolving the duties thereof upon the municipal assembly or other legislative body of a city in counties wholly included in a city or where two or more entire counties are included in a city and which resolution was referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution and

Whereas such resolution has been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that section twenty six article third of the constitution be amended so as to read as follows

Sec 26 There shall be in each county except in a county wholly included in a city a board of supervisors to be composed of such members and elected in such manner and for such period as is or may be provided by law In a city which includes an entire county or two or more entire counties the powers and duties of a board of supervisors may be devolved upon the municipal assembly common council, board of aldermen or other legislative body of the city

Sec 2 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Senate Mar 3 1899
The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof
By order of the senate
TIMOTHY E ELLSWORTH
Temporary President

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Assembly Apr 22 1899
The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the assembly voting in favor thereof
By order of the assembly
S F NIXON Speaker

State of New York Office of the Secretary of State ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article three section twenty six of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State at the city of Albany this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine
[L S] JOHN T McDONOUGH
Secretary of State

The foregoing Concurrent Resolution is published once a week for three months next preceding the next general election in conformity to the aforesaid provisions in two public newspapers in each county in this State representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county as shown by the last preceding State Enumeration
JOHN T McDONOUGH
Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK
Office of the Secretary of State
Albany July 27 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety six notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article eight of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO
Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to article eight section ten of the constitution in relation to counties cities towns and villages giving or loaning money or credit and limitation of their indebtedness

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety-seven duly adopted a resolution providing for an amendment to the constitution in relation to counties cities towns and villages giving or loaning money or credit and limitation of their indebtedness and which resolution was referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution and

Whereas such resolutions have been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that section ten article eight of the constitution be amended so as to read as follows

Sec 10 Counties cities and towns not to give or loan money or credit limitation of indebtedness No county city town or village shall hereafter give any money or property or loan its money or credit to or in aid of any individual association or corporation or become directly or indirectly the owner of stock in or bonds of any association or corporation nor shall any such county city town or village be allowed to incur any indebtedness except for county city town or village purposes This section shall not prevent such county city town or village from making such provision for the aid or support of its poor as may be authorized by law No county or city shall be allowed to become indebted for any purpose or in any manner to an amount which including existing indebtedness shall exceed ten per centum of the assessed valuation of the real estate of such county or city subject to taxation as it appeared by the assessment-rolls of said county or city on the last assessment for state or county taxes prior to the incurring of such indebtedness and all indebtedness in excess of such limitation except such as may now exist shall be absolutely void except as herein otherwise provided No county or city whose present indebtedness exceeds ten per centum of the assessed valuation of its real estate subject to taxation shall be allowed to become indebted in any further amount until such indebtedness shall be reduced within such limit This section shall not be construed to prevent the issuing of certificates of indebtedness or revenue bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of taxes for amounts actually contained or to be contained in the taxes for the year when such certificates or revenue bonds are issued and payable out of such taxes Nor shall this section be construed to prevent the issue of bonds to provide for the supply of water but the term of the bonds issued to provide the supply of water shall not exceed twenty years and a sinking fund shall be created on the issuing of the said bonds for their redemption by raising annually a sum which will produce an amount equal to the sum of the principal and interest of said bonds at their maturity All certificates of indebtedness or revenue bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of taxes which are not retired within five years after their date of issue and bonds issued to provide for the supply of water, and any debt hereafter incurred by any portion or part of a city if there shall be any such debt shall be included in ascertaining the power of the city to become otherwise indebted Whenever the boundaries of any city are the same as those of a county or when any city shall include within its boundaries more than one county the power of any county wholly included within such city to become indebted shall cease but the debt of the county heretofore existing shall not for the purposes of this section be reckoned as a part of the city debt The amount hereafter to be raised by tax for county or city purposes in any county containing a city of over one hundred thousand inhabitants or any such city of this state in addition to providing for the principal and interest of existing debt shall not in the aggregate exceed in any one year two per centum of the assessed valuation of the real and personal estate of such county or city to be ascertained as prescribed in this section in respect to county or city debt

Sec 2 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Senate Mar 3, 1899
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By order of the senate
TIMOTHY E ELLSWORTH
Temporary President

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Assembly Apr. 22 1899
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By order of the assembly,
S F NIXON Speaker

State of New York, Office of the Secretary of State ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article eight, section ten of the Constitution, with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office, and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof.

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the city of Albany this twenty-seventh day of July, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine
[L S] JOHN T McDONOUGH
Secretary of State.

The foregoing Concurrent Resolution is published once a week for three months next preceding the next general election in conformity to the aforesaid provisions, in two public newspapers in each county in this State representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election, and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county as shown by the last preceding State Enumeration
JOHN T McDONOUGH,
Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK
Office of the Secretary of State
Albany July 27 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety six notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six, of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE
Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to section two of article six of the constitution relating to temporary designations by the governor of justices to the appellate division

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety-eight duly adopted resolutions providing for an amendment to the constitution, relating to temporary designations by the governor, of justices to the appellate division and which resolution was referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators, and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution, and

Whereas such resolutions have been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that section two of article six of the constitution be amended so as to read as follows

Sec 2. The legislature shall divide the state into four judicial departments The first department shall consist of the county of New York, the others shall be bounded by county lines and be compact and equal in population as nearly as may be Once every ten years the legislature may alter the judicial departments but without increasing the number thereof There shall be an appellate division of the supreme court consisting of seven justices in the first department, and of five justices in each of the other departments In each department four shall constitute a quorum and the concurrence of three shall be necessary to a decision No more than five justices shall sit in any case From all the justices elected to the supreme court the governor shall designate those who shall constitute the appellate division in each department and he shall designate the presiding justice thereof who shall act as such during his term of office and shall be a resident of the department. The other justices shall be designated for terms of five years or the unexpired portions of their respective terms of office if less than five years From time to time as the terms of such designations expire or vacancies occur he shall make new designations A majority of the justices so designated to sit in the appellate division in each department shall be residents of the department He may also make temporary designations in case of the absence or inability to act of any justice in the appellate division or in case the presiding justice of any appellate division shall certify to him that one or more additional justices are needed for the speedy disposition of the business before it Whenever the appellate division in any department shall be unable to dispose of its business within a reasonable time a majority of the presiding justices of the several departments at a meeting called by the presiding justice of the department in arrears may transfer any pending appeals from such department to any other department for hearing and determination No justice of the appellate division shall exercise any of the powers of a justice of the supreme court other than those of a justice out of court and those pertaining to the appellate division or to the hearing and decision of motions submitted by consent of counsel From and after the last day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety five the appellate division shall have the jurisdiction now exercised by the supreme court at its general terms and by the general terms of the court of common pleas for the city and county of New York the superior court of the city of New York, the superior court of Buffalo and the city court of Brooklyn and such additional jurisdiction as may be conferred by the legislature It shall have power to appoint and remove a reporter The justices of the appellate division in each department shall have power to fix the times and places for holding special and trial terms therein and to assign the justices in the departments to hold such terms or to make rules therefor

Sec 2 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law.

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Senate Apr 11 1899
The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof
By order of the senate
TIMOTHY E ELLSWORTH
Temporary President

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Assembly Apr [illegible]
The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the assembly voting in favor thereof
By order of the assembly
S F NIXON Speaker

State of New York, Office of the Secretary of State ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article six section two of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State at the city of Albany this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine
[L S] JOHN T McDONOUGH
Secretary of State

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JOHN T McDONOUGH
Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK
Office of the Secretary of State
Albany July 27 1899

Pursuant to the provisions of section one of article fourteen of the Constitution of the State of New York and section seven of Chapter nine hundred and nine of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety six, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six, section seven of the Constitution of the State of New York is to be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election to be held on the seventh day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety nine

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR
Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly

Proposing an amendment to article six section seven of the constitution relating to the court of appeals

Whereas the legislature at its regular session in eighteen hundred and ninety eight duly adopted resolutions providing for an amendment to the constitution relating to the court of appeals, and which resolutions were referred to the legislature to be chosen at the next general election of senators and directed to be published in accordance with section one of article fourteen of the constitution and

Whereas, said resolutions have been duly published in accordance with law and the constitution and referred to this legislature for action therefore

Section 1 Resolved (if the assembly concur), that section seven of article six of the constitution be amended to read as follows.

Sec 7 The court of appeals is continued—It shall consist of the chief judge and associate judges now in office, who shall hold their offices until the expiration of their respective terms and their successors who shall be chosen by the electors of the state The official terms of the chief judge and associate judges shall be fourteen years from and including the first day of January next after their election Five members of the court shall form a quorum and the concurrence of four shall be necessary to a decision The court shall have power to appoint and to remove its reporter clerk and attendants Whenever and as often as a majority of the judges of the court of appeals shall certify to the governor that said court is unable by reason of the accumulation of causes pending therein to hear and dispose of the same with reasonable speed the governor shall designate not more than four justices of the supreme court to serve as associate judges of court of appeals The justices so designated shall be relieved from their duties as justices of the supreme court and shall serve as associate judges of the court of appeals until the causes undisposed of in said court are reduced to two hundred, when they shall return to the supreme court. The governor may designate justices of the supreme court to fill vacancies No justice shall serve as associate judge of the court of appeals except while holding the office of justice of the supreme court and no more than seven judges shall sit in any case.

Sec 2 Resolved (if the assembly concur) that the foregoing amendment be submitted to the people for approval at the next general election in accordance with the provisions of the election law

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Senate Apr 4, 1899
The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof
By order of the senate
TIMOTHY L. WOODRUFF,
President

STATE OF NEW YORK
In Assembly Apr 25 1899
The foregoing resolution was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the assembly voting in favor thereof
By order of the assembly
S F NIXON, Speaker

State of New York, Office of the Secretary of State ss I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article six section seven of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State at the city of Albany this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety nine.
[L S] JOHN T McDONOUGH
Secretary of State

The foregoing Concurrent Resolution is published once a week for three months next preceding the next general election in conformity to the aforesaid provisions in two public newspapers in each county in this State representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county as shown by the last preceding State Enumeration
JOHN T McDONOUGH
Secretary of State.

BIRTHS.

DENNIS—At Johnson Aug 21 '99 to Mr and Mrs Wm Dennis a son

DIED.

HEALEY—In this city Aug 24 '99 Thomas Healey aged fifty seven years ten months
Funeral will be held from his late residence 13 Prince street Saturday morning at nine thirty and at St Joseph s Church at ten o clock where a solemn requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul Interment in family plot St Joseph s Cemetery

WALTHALL—At Salt Lake City Utah Aug 17 '99 suddenly, of heart disease Marshal D Walthall formerly of this city aged twenty three years
Brief funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at two o clock at the funeral parlors of F O Bo kafellow 9 North street and will be private
Friends and acquaintances of the family [illegible] Hillside Cemetery at three thirty o clock where the interment will take place and special services will be held

FRED O LOCKAFELLOW Funeral Director and Embalmer 9 North street Telephone No 3 Lady assistant New York office 154 East 23d street with H F Taylor & Co

KNAPP & MERRITT Undertakers and Embalmers 42 West Main street corner James, Middletown N Y 39 Great Jones St New York city Lady assistant Telephone Call No 10

JOHN DONOVAN Undertaker and Embalmer 1-3 North street Day or night Telephone 13 Lady assistant Open day and night

L D OSTERHOUT Undertaker and Embalmer 44 James St Middletown N Y Orange County Telephone [illegible] office Hudson River or long distance telephone No 20 Branch [illegible] Myrtle Ave Brooklyn 48 Great Jones St N Y Lady Assistant

DOUGHERTY & CALEY Undertakers and Embalmers [illegible] street Middletown Orange County Telephone night and day New York office 82 Great Jones street Also long distance telephone Lady assistant

RIDING LESSONS Ladies and gentlemen taught to ride in a few lessons Terms reasonable Apply to HOWARD STARRET Commissary Sergeant 31 Battery Midway Park [illegible]

5 PLEASANT rooms to let on Broad St See them DAYTON S

CROSBY Has new embroidery and stamped linens complete very fine assortment Full line of Battenberg patterns, all sizes and designs New to day—New brocades and hair [illegible] Mrs C J Clark s [illegible] W Main St

WHO said tinware had advanced in price
[illegible] quart Dish Pans 15c
[illegible] Water Pails 10c
[illegible] Covered Buckets 10c
[illegible] Tea or Coffee Pots 10c
DAYTON S

The Fair.

Don t fail to visit our store when you come to the city. Something new every day. Our Imported Goods are now arriving, and they are so numerous that it is impossible to tell you about them, but we want you to feel free in visiting our store.

China Ash Trays, Gold Stippled		10c
" Tooth Pick Holders, Raised Flowers		5c
" China Cups and Saucers, Gold Stippled		10c
" Chocolate Cups, Gold Stippled and Decorated		25c up
" " Pots		49c "
" Salad Dishes		25c "
Bisque Statuary		10c "

It is impossible to tell you about the things, as they are arriving every day, so do not fail to see them.

Did you know it is time to get your flowers pots.

We have our stock in.

500 8 inch Jars, per dozen		10c
500 4 inch " and Saucers		3c
300 5 inch " " "		4c
300 5½-inch " " "		5c
200 Fancy Jardinieres	7 inch	10c
100 " "	8 inch	15c

Every department is overflowing with bargains. Why? Because we are crowded for room and more goods are coming.

THE FAIR.

No. 8 East Main St., Middletown.

Other Stores Carbondale, Pa; Pittston, Pa; Hazleton, Pa; Mahanoy City, Pa.; Shamokin, Pa.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents

CROSBY Just received bowls oatmeal dishes cups and saucers and they are beauties as only 10c each Handkerchief lies for Saturday at 5 cents
Crosby s Novelty Store No 19 West Main St

PAINTS—Largest stock and best quality
YOUNG S PHARMACY 1 Franklin Square
Mon Wed Fri Feb7

COWS—COWS—I will have a car load of heavy State cows Sept 1st
1td6a S GIVEANS

MUSICAL Instructions on Banjo Mandolin and Guitar are given by R SCHLUSNER
3 dot No 6 James street

HEADACHE Chambers Magic Headache Powders will certainly cure [illegible] cents Sold only at CHAMBERS Pharmacy 57 North St near postoffice

DO YOU enjoy a good cigar Just step in CHAMBERS Pharmacy near post office and see what they have to offer Try the Cremo



LAMB only [illegible] Beefsteak [illegible] See window
GREENING'S

YE olden time blue crockery bowls 10c each
DAYTON S

AUSTIN S DYE HOUSE 23 Wickham avenue. Ladies dresses and sacks gents suits and overcoats cleaned dyed and pressed

Butter and Peaches

Butter for	18c a pound
Fresh Dairy for	20 and 21c a pound
Finest Creamery	23c a pound

PEACHES.

FINEST IN THIS MARKET FOR TO-DAY AND SATURDAY S TRADE.

C. N. PREDMORE & SON.

ONCE MORE.

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Nearly 1,000 packages sold in ten days.

Fancy fat new No. 1 Mackerel.

CITY GROCERS.

Bull & Youngblood,

56 North St., Opp. Postoffice.

TELEPHONE CALL 55

NOW HERE.

NEW PACKED CANNED CARNATION BRAND SIFTED SWEET-WRINKLED PEAS.

MAPES BROTHERS, GROCERS

Cor WEST MAIN and MILL Sts

JACOB GUNTHER.

Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars

Assembly Rooms for Balls and Entertainments—Mason Hall.

FARM Hand Wanted—Must be strictly sober and good milker
WALTER HARLOR South Centreville N Y
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FOR SALE at Wurtsboro, Sullivan county, six acres level garden land, with nine-room cottage, barn 20x50 feet and outbuildings, all in good repair Suited to truck gardening poultry raising and small fruits In edge of village on principal street Village water system and fire protection No incumbrance Good reasons for selling A nice country village home For full particulars address or call on
G F HARDING, Wurtsboro, N Y

OUR ANNUAL AUGUST CLEARING SALE.

All wise shoppers know that August brings the ripest bargains. It's the bridge between summer selling and fall stocking up. It's our time to close out the last of our summer goods to clear the way for fall business, and always TO SAVE YOU MONEY There is almost three months of wearing time yet. It will pay you to buy for next year at the prices we have made on our Summer Goods to close them out. Among the many reductions you will find

Muslin Underwear

We have taken all of our odd pieces and slightly soiled and mussed Muslin Underwear, mostly fine goods, consisting of gowns skirts, drawers and corset covers. Have marked them at prices to insure their quick disposal Every lady who wants a bargain in fine Muslin Underwear should attend this closing out sale Cost is not considered at such sales as these.

Ladies' Wrappers

We have taken all of our odd Wrappers and placed them on a separate counter They are mostly light and medium colors. You can afford to buy a number at this price as long as they last, and they will not last long, 49c

Ladies' White Pique Skirts.

We haven't very many left, but they have got to go We need the room. Our $1.25, $1.68, $1 98, $2 48 skirts to close out quick we have marked 89c., $1,$1 50 Piques.

All our Piques, with colored figures, that sold for 20c, to go at 12½c a yard.

Toilet Articles and Perfumes.

Every August we have a special sale of Toilet Articles We buy direct from the manufacturer and can, in many cases sell you as cheap as the jobbers Every article we sell we can warrant We know of no better way of introducing these items to your notice than by offering you well known brands at less than you ve been paying for them

Bailey s ½ oz bottles Triple Extract, with glass stopper bottles, all odors, 10c

Oakley s White Violet Triple Waters, in extra large bottle, 10c

Oakley s fine Triple Waters, 1 oz bottle, 25c 2 oz bottle, 19c. Come in all odors, finest goods of the kind made.

Colgate s Finest Extracts—½ oz , 25c , 1 oz. bottle, all odors, 19c. Lamborg s 1 oz bottle 54c

Oakley s 2 oz bottle Carnation Pink, one of the latest odors, here at 49c

Eau Violetta Toilet Water, 8 oz glass stopper bottle Try it you will use no other, 49c

Genuine Last India Bay Rum, bottled right from the barrel 19 and 19c per bottle

Florida Water We sell goods we can warrant Try a sample bottle 10 and 25c

Freeman s Almond Meal, one of the best things made for the complexion, extra large jar, 25c

Oakley's Saponeen Tooth Wash 25c , Oakley's Tooth Powder, extra size bottle, 19c

Bailey s 1 oz bottle Dentifrice Tooth Powder Try a sample bottle, 10c

Bailey's Oval Face Powder, each box contains a piece of chamois, 10c for both

Henry Tetlow s famous Swan Down Face Powder 15c. Henry Tetlow s Gossamer Face Powder 19c a box

Bailey's Borated and Perfumed Talcum Powder 10c a box or $1 a dozen One of the best powders made.

Extra large jar Vaseline, with a screw top, the 10c size, here 5c

Best quality Hartshorn Household Ammonia 8c a bottle Pope s Violet, Lavender and Lilac Ammonia 15c or two for 25c.

Violetta Soap, three large cakes in a box, 10c a box.

Oakley's Camelia Soap, one of the finest soaps made, 19c a cake or three cakes for 50c.

Heliotrope, White Rose, Peau Espagne and Jockey Club Soap 10c a cake, or three cakes for 25c.

Special Hair Brushes 15, 25, 39c Hand Glass 19c. Special Tooth Brushes 5 and 10c.

Shirt Waists.

We never carry over Shirt Waists from one season to another. Every waist we show is of this season's make Our sales this year have been about 2,000 waists, so we can afford to lose some money on the balance to close every one out You can afford to buy for next season at the prices we have made on them. This includes all our white shirt waists. Almost three months yet to wear waists. All 50c waists now 25c, all 75c waists now 50c, all $1, $1.25, $1.48 waists 69c.

Ladies' Crash Skirts

Our skirts are one of the best made in the market. To close them out quick we will sell 39, 69, 98c., $1 25 skirts at 25, 39, 69, 98c. Would be cheap at double the price.

Wash Goods.

One lot Remnants, mostly 10 and 12½c goods, to go at 5c a yard.

One lot fine Lawns, 27 inches wide, to close out quick 3c a yard.

One lot fine Lawns 32 inches wide, would be cheap at 10c, to go at 4½c a yard.

HART DAVIS 45 NORTH STREET.